

**Parks Advisory Committee  
November 18, 2009  
6:30 PM  
Minutes**

**Call to order:** Mr. Deeds called the meeting to order at 6:34pm

<b><u>Roll Call:</u></b>	Card	Parker	Boumis	
	Luehrs	Bolin	Donahue	
	Bumpus	Bender	Toledo	
	Peoples	Ebert	Deeds	Mershon

**Approval of Minutes**

Ms. Boumis moved to accept the minutes from the September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2009 meeting; seconded by Mr. Donahue. Motion passed with all ayes.

**Items for Discussion**

**09-11 Survey Results**

Ms. Osborn read through the results of the parks survey as members followed in their survey results packet. See attached results packet.

A total of 473 people participants returned the survey, though not every question was answered on every survey. Ms. Boumis and Mr. Toledo pointed out that the results can be presented in a skewed view if they aren't looked at from many different perspectives. Brief discussion took place on several points.

There will be a summary of the survey results available on the website soon for public viewing.

**Other Business:**

Mr. Toledo asked about the EMH&T plans for the Walnut Creek Park and Bareis Nature Preserve and wanted clarification. He believes that it would be more likely to pass a bond levy with a plan that shows more of a variety of activities. Discussion ensued regarding the park amenities and the bond levy.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2010 at 6:30pm.

**Adjournment:**

Dr. Bender moved to adjourn this meeting of the Parks Advisory Committee and was seconded by Mr. Peoples. Motion passed with all ayes.

Meeting adjourned at 7:48pm